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BETHEL, MAINE, THURSDAY, APRIL 15, 1976

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10 YEARS AGO

The Misses Janet Emery and Linda Braden were named as valedictorian and salutatorian respectively, of the senior class at West Paris High School.

Miss Cynthia Bell was the winner in the annual Sophomore Prize Speaking at Andover High School.

The S. A. D. #44 board of directors decided that there would be no eighth grade graduating exercises in the district schools.

Jack Randall of Oxford was employed as clerk/bookkeeper in the S. A. D. #44 superintendent of schools' office.

Deaths: Helen D. Robinson.

20 YEARS AGO

One hundred and fifty were blood typed as the program got underway in the Bethel area. The project was to continue each week through April.

John Greenleaf was Oxford County delegate to the Farm and Home Week in Orono.

Deaths: John A. Angevine, Mrs. Mary Achenbach.

30 YEARS AGO

Bethel Girl Scout Mother and Daughter banquet was held at the American Legion Home.

Ola A. Olson moved from on the Branch, Newry, to West Paris.

Deaths: Osgood J. Swan, Mrs. Dorothy Mills Aimee.

40 YEARS AGO

Flood debris from Maine rivers was reported to be a menace to navigation off the coast south of Portland.

The Bethel Townsend Club held a meeting in Odeon Hall.

Deaths: Mrs. Lydia M. Goodwin, Mrs. Addie M. S. Stone.

50 YEARS AGO

There was a snowfall of 12 inches on April 3.

A large crowd attended an auction at the W. W. Hastings home on Broad Street.

Death: Mrs. Wallace B. Cummings.

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Regular burning permits don't cover incinerators. Persons must obtain special incinerator permits which are issued for one year periods. It is unlawful to burn debris within 50 feet of a traveled way. All burning permits are granted in good faith that the fire is carefully watched and controlled at all times. Permits do not however relieve a person of legal responsibility if the fire should escape or cause damage to the property of another.

If you have any questions regarding burning regulations or want to obtain a permit, contact Robert Davis, 824-2384; Bernie Rice, 824-2508; or Craig Davis, 824-2807.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

OBSERVES HOLY WEEK

Members of the greater Bethel community are invited to join in the following Holy Week observances.

The Vigil of Maundy Thursday: The Office of Tenebrae with Holy Communion and reception of members. This ancient and inspiring service will be held at the church on April 15 at 7:00 p. m.

Easter Sunday, April 18. Morning worship at 10 a. m. Memorial plants and flowers are welcome; dedications to be printed in the bulletin should be given to Barbara H. Brown or Rev. Caton by Friday of this week. Nursery services will be available for parents with small children.

SUNRISE SERVICES

ON PARADISE HILL

There will be an Easter Sunrise Service, sponsored by area churches at Dick and Frances Hardings on Paradise Hill at 5:30 a. m. West Parish people: please note corrected time. A breakfast of scrambled eggs and toast will be served at the Congregational Church after the service. All are welcome.

EASTER SUNRISE SERVICE

AT THE PINNACLE

There will be an Easter sunrise service at the Pinnacle on Paradise Hill Sunday morning at 7 o'clock.

Vincent Casale will bring the message. Coffee and donuts will be served at the Gospel Center directly following.

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COMMENTS FROM THE
TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

The Board of Selectmen met in regular session on Monday night, April 12, and faced a long and varied agenda.

The Board re-appointed Ted Chadbourne, Lincoln Fiske, Ronald Kendall and appointed Margaret Tibbets to three year terms as members of the Budget Committee. The committee will be meeting on a quarterly basis this year in order to keep informed about municipal finances. The information gained from these meetings should help the committee when preparing their recommendations for next year's town meeting.

The Board, after talking with 10 interested citizens, appointed Ginger Kelly, Lawrence Bartlett, Arthur Froberg, Sue O'Donnell, and Peter Kalley as members of the newly-created Recreation Board. An organizational meeting for this committee has been tentatively scheduled for Tuesday, April 27 at the Town Office.

The Board also appointed David Myers as Electrical Inspector for this year. The Town Manager was directed to work with David Myers and State Electrical Inspector Blake MacKay to update electrical work application and permit policies and procedures.

The Board discussed requests from the Towns of Woodstock and Greenwood to use Bethel's Sewage Treatment Plant for the disposal of septic wastes. The Town Manager informed the Board that with the present set-up at the Treatment Plant, it will be impossible to accept the additional waste generated by surrounding towns. The Manager also informed the board that the Town does not have an approved site available for the dumping of septic wastes at times when the Treatment Plant cannot take these wastes. The Town is working with the Department of Environmental Protection to locate an approved site on town owned land at the dump. As a result of the discussions the Board voted to have the Town Manager write the Towns of Greenwood and Woodstock stating that Bethel would not be able to accept septic wastes from their towns at this time.

Upon the recommendation of the Town Manager, the Board voted to designate the week of May 3-7 Clean-Up Week. Specific information on the schedule for picking up waste will be in next week's column.

In other actions the Board instructed the Town Manager and Highway Foreman to hire an individual for cleaning up and mowing the Common this summer, discussed a proposal for supplying the town with gasoline, and discussed improvements which will be required at the dump to meet environmental regulations.

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The Town Office will be closed next Monday, April 19, in observance of Patriot's Day.

Those who have Veteran's licenses are reminded that they expire the second Monday in May. Applications may be picked up at the Town Office for completion.

Norman R. Ness, Jr.

BETHEL TOWN OFFICE

WILL BE CLOSED

MONDAY, APRIL 19

In Observance of Patriot's Day

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Anyone wishing to rent their home, apartment or cottage to NTL participants this summer and have not received the necessary information, may do so by calling or writing:

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A REMINDER

—EASTER EGG HUNT

NEXT SUNDAY MORNING

There will be an Easter Egg Hunt on Easter Sunday morning at promptly 7 a. m. Three, four, five and six year olds will hunt at the Bethel Bible School, and seven, eight, nine and ten year olds will hunt at Crescent Park School. Prizes will be awarded to the boy and girl in each age division who collects the most eggs.

Special Bicentennial Eggs will be carefully placed at each school and the lucky finder will be awarded a special prize.

Parents are asked to see that their children come with a basket or container for the eggs. It is important that parents instruct their children to arrive at the main entrance of the schools, and that the hunt does not begin until 7 a. m.

The Easter Bunny will be at the hunt to make sure that each child who participates does not go home empty handed.

If you wish to give a hand or have some questions, please get in touch with Merton Brown.

BANKS/BETHEL TOWN OFFICE

TO BE CLOSED MONDAY

Casco Bank and Trust Co., Bethel Savings Bank, and the Bethel Town Office will be closed Monday, April 19, in observance of Patriot's Day.

Schools of S. A. D. 44 will be on vacation the week of April 19 through 23.

SPECIAL MEETING OF MASONS

AND TABLE LODGE

Bethel area Masons are reminded that a Special Communication of Bethel Lodge #97 A. F. & A. M. will be held next Thursday, April 22, at 5:30 P. M. for the purpose of working the E. A. degree. Following the meeting, at 7 p. m., the Lodge will hold the first table lodge in this area. Roast beef with all the trimmings will be served. Reservations are to be made with Secretary Al Barth, 824-2931.

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This is very important as regular lesson time is changed to general rehearsal for both 'A Bicentennial Salute to Show Bus and Coppella', 'Show Bus' being held at Telstar May 27th and 28th and 'Coppella' June 11th and 12th.

SUSAN FARRAR

THE TELSTAR GERMAN CLUB

WOULD LIKE TO THANK

all those who supported us in our many fund raising projects. We were helped by many throughout the district in our effort to raise money. Although many times given only a short notice we still got a tremendous response to help. We are leaving Thursday, April 15 on a night flight out of Boston. We shall be in Germany for eight days and return Friday, April 23. We would like to thank all those who helped again. When we're in Germany, enjoying our vacation our thoughts shall be with you, for without your help we wouldn't be there. Pictured above (left to right) Jack Taylor, Leslam Poland, Debbie Buck and Kathy Smith.



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North East Lovell

— Pauline Smith, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Charles, Barbara Lemay, Marion Kendall, Bill Card, Hazel Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Stevens attend the dinner and program for the Senior Citizens at the Center Lovell Vestry, April 8.

Louis Snyder called on Marion Kendall Thursday.

Barbara Benson was around collecting for the Cancer Drive this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Nista, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Milliken, Walter Fox, were all callers at Charles Fox this week.

Mrs. Mary Garthe of Portland spent the week end with Florence and Carroll Stevens, Mary Garthe is Carroll's sister.

Eather Harriman, Florence Tibbels had dinner with Esther's mother, Marion Kendall, Monday. Other callers were Jack Bennett and Beverly, Roger Woodard.

Marcel Lovepre, Larry Fox, Roger Woodard, Roy Smith, rode with John Fox to Andover, Maine, to the Western Maine supper and program. Nice meal. Nice time for all.

Hanover

— Pam Morton, Corres. —

The Cadette Girl Scouts have completed making their Bicentennial afghan and are now selling yarn flowers for drawing on May 1 to determine the winner of the afghan. Profit will finance a trip to Boston in April.

Daisy Warren has returned to her Hanover residence for the summer after spending the winter at the home of her nephew in Andover.

The Telstar Association Service Team met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Howe on Wednesday.

The annual Easter Breakfast will be held on Sunday at 8 a. m. at the Rumford Point Church. The Boy Scouts will be serving the breakfast which will be cooked by the men of the church. The breakfast will be followed at 9:30 by the regular church service with special music.

The Pilgrim Fellowship Group of the Rumford Point Church will meet at 6 p. m. at the Rumford Point Church.

Upton

— Mrs. Arline Bernier, Corres. —

The Easter Sunrise Service with Rodney Hanson, pastor, is scheduled for 6 a. m. on the hill back of the church. Whether or not you get up for the service, you are welcome to join in the covered dish breakfast at 7 a. m. at the Ladies Aid building.

Mrs. Beverly Hustin of Waterville, part of Senator Muskie's team, held an informal meeting with citizens on the school house plaza. It was warmer in the sun there than inside the building. Complaints aired included rise in taxes partially due to the tree growth laws, the limited use of senior citizen bus, and travel necessary to acquire food stamps. A part time visiting nurse expressed concern for elderly patients whose pride keeps them deprived of bare comforts or necessities. This turned the meeting briefly from a totally depressive, petish one to an awareness of real need among us.

The Wilderness 4-H held a meeting with Eleanor LeComte, R. N., in charge. Mrs. LeComte spoke informally about home nursing and emergency care.

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Jackson - Silver Post and Unit No. 68 American Legion and Auxiliary, will send four young people to Boys and Girls States in June. The girls are Suzanne Royer of Greenwood, and Julia Edwards of Milton; Ernest Bollo, Bryant Pond and Brent Swan of Locke Mills, the boys. They are all juniors at Telstar High School. The alternate girls are Kelly Ingraham and Linda Scott of Woodstock. They will have a week at Husson College in Bangor, while the boys go to UMO and they will take a course in government and enjoy sports and music. They will each receive some spending money from their sponsoring organization.

At the April 1 meetings, nominating committees of three were named, as follows: for the Post: Leland Dunham, Warren Smith and Stanley Sargent; for the ladies: Vera Cross, Grace Smith and Cathryn Lovejoy.

A "thank you" was read by Sec. Grace Smith, from Brownie Troop No. 331 of East Bethel for the American flag they received from the Unit. It was signed by each member.

The Dunhams, Lovejoys, and Cummings reported attending a reception for Joyce Quinney, First District President in Woodfords.

Past President Kathy Bickford, who lives in Newport now, is happy to report that her son, William has been chosen to go to Boys State from his high school.

State President Charlotte Cressey lost her young husband Clyde, with a heart attack March 24. The Post and Unit sent flowers and their condolences. Adj. and Mrs. Leland Dunham attended his services in Bethel. He leaves six children and his wife.

Second District President Sylvia Dunham happily reported that the Second District is 101.9% in membership, placing her second in the State.

Americanism Officer Dom Bruno of Togus, came to Telstar High School to speak. It appears he was treated rudely and that lessons in respect and discipline are needed in our school, among the boys. Mr. Bruno came at his own expense, hoping to help. He is like that.

Saturday night Commander and President, the Lovejoys, Vice President Sylvia Dunham and her husband Leland and Charter members Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Cummings, attended the testimonial for State Commander Bob Rich at the Sons of Italy Hall in Lewiston. Past State Commander John Howe was also present. The main speaker was Wm Rogers, Maine's candidate for National Commander. Representatives came from several States to honor Bob.

Next meeting April 15 and Oxford County Council is in Rumford April 20.

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West Paris

— Mrs. Marian Chase, Corres. —

Easter Sunrise service will be held at the Universalist Church, at 6:30 a. m. Breakfast will be served at 7 o'clock.

Little League registration will be held April 19 at 1 p. m. at the Little League field. Birth certificates are required for those registering. Anyone not able to come is to contact Mark Thurlow.

Ladies Auxiliary of West Paris Fire Department will be holding a food and rummage sale on May 15. If anyone has articles for the sale they may be left at the home of Diane Todd or any member of the auxiliary.

West Paris Grange will convene for a regular meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m. Refreshments at the close of the meeting.

Mrs. Frances Millett and Andrea, Stan Beleckis, Lewiston, Mr. and Mrs. Randal Buck, Oxford, Mrs. Madelyn Herrick, Oxford, called on Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Buck, Sunday.

Roadside clean-up will be held Saturday, April 17, 9 a. m. by Mollycock Sportsmen's Club and Boy Scouts.

Ladies Auxiliary of the Fire Department met Monday evening at the Fire Station. Following the meeting, Mrs. Marion Mayhew told of the older houses and history of the town, also pictures. Mrs. Avis Stelhorn gave a very interesting talk and showed pictures, folders, articles of her trip to Hawaii this winter. Refreshment committee, Eleanor Heath, Reta Proctor.

OXFORD POMONA #2 MEETS

Oxford Pomona #2 met with Oxford Subordinate Grange at Welchville April 6 with the usual good supper served by the host Grange. There were 84 in attendance.

The honored guests for the evening were State Lecturer June Burke and State Deputy Dick Burke, who spoke on the work of the Grange during the meeting.

The chief business of the night was Degree Work. There were 14 members who took the Fifth Degree.

The Pomona Master Neil Conant reminded the members that they were to fill the chairs at New Century Pomona at Rumford Grange on April 14.

ANNUAL MEETING

To the Members of the Bethel Savings Bank Corporation: You are hereby notified that the annual meeting of the members of the Bethel Savings Bank Corporation will be held at the Sunday River Inn on May 12, 1976, at 6:30 p. m. to fill vacancies by the loss of membership or otherwise; to elect a Board of Trustees; to transact any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

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Bryant Pond

— Mrs. Alice F. Hoyt, Corres. —

The Universalist Church will have a special Easter service on Sunday, April 18. Rev. John Coyle of West Paris will be the guest speaker. Every one interested is invited to attend.

Pauline Sweetser and friend Mike, Bridgeport, Conn., were week end visitors of her mother and grandmother, June and Luvie Sweetser. While here she visited her aunt, Mrs. Lizzie Russ and some school friends.

Daughters of Veterans met at the home of Mrs. Verna Swan, with 12 members present. Debra Estes was appointed Sr. Vice Pres., and Bessie House as Jr. Vice Pres. Leatrice Chase was reported as feeling some better. She broke her hand. 40 calls were made since last meeting. Department Aids were appointed: Verna Swan and Edith Hathaway. Voted to

give to the Red Cross and Cancer drives. Delegates and Alternates were appointed for State convention as follows: Phyllis and Della Jordan as delegates and alternates are Verna Swan and Hazel Brooks.

The annual food and rummage sale will be held on the first Wednesday of May, the fifth. Any donations are accepted. Tasting party next meeting and this will be the Bicentennial program. Each member is to bring a short reading on the Bicentennial. This meeting will be held at the Grange Hall and will be May 10. Helen Ring and Harriett Estes served refreshments after the meeting. Hazel Brooks read a paper on Great Women in American History.

The Woodstock Extension will meet at the home of Cleo Kerns on Wednesday, April 21. This meeting will be on Plant Hangings at one o'clock.

South Woodstock

— Olive Davis, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Terrance Moore have been at their cottage for the last two weeks ends. Mr. and Mrs. Erland Blood have been at Mrs. Blood's brothers, Leon Verrill's, for the week end. Both couples are from Massachusetts, and are working on homes in the vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brooks and Olive Davis attended Franklin Grange Monday night and Oxford Pomona at Welchville, Tuesday night.

Mrs. Miriam McAllister called on Olive Davis, Monday afternoon. She also called on Sheryl Wilbur. Sheryl will be soliciting for the Cancer Fund this month.

Mrs. Arthur Kilborn and Mrs. Ethel Towne, Bridgton, called on their aunt and sister, Olive P. Davis, Tuesday afternoon.

Bruce Clements attended a birthday party at Bethel held for George Feeney this week.

David Clements will be leaving with the Spanish class from Telstar High School for Puerto Rico. Mr. and Mrs. Otero, one of the teachers and wife, will be their escorts. This is Mr. Otero's former

COMMENTS FROM THE WOODSTOCK TOWN OFFICE

The Selectmen of the Town of Woodstock announce that the new Tax Maps have been received. There will be a public showing of these maps at the Town Hall on Monday, April 19, from 1 to 5 p. m. and from 6 to 8 p. m. At this time a representative from the James Sewall Co. will be here to explain their use and to answer any questions pertaining to them.

The Woodstock Highway Department has repaired most of the road damage caused by this Spring's storms.

The Highway Department has turned over to the Fire Department the 1965 Ford truck. The firemen are converting it from a dump truck to a tanker.

The Fire Department has been cleaning up and burning the debris left on the old Bacon Lot after the demolition of the building thereon. This is the lot which was purchased recently by the Town.

home which is good for the students as he can tell them the highlights of this territory.

Some are smelting around here, so guess spring has come.

Olive Davis was in Bridgton Sunday, calling on relatives.

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Connie Clough, a graduating Junior at Telstar, is employed at Saga Foods. Her supervisors are Gene Buswell, chef, and John Rayne, Manager for Saga Foods.

Basically, she says, she helps cook what ever is on the menu at Gould Academy, sometimes she cleans up and occasionally works with the dishwashing machine, and some other smaller jobs.

Although still undecided, Connie is considering attending college in her future to study business affairs. She related that her involvement in the Co-Op Program has given her an opportunity to combine a job experience with personal pleasure, as she says she likes to cook.

One of her other interests is hang gliding, she told us, and she plans to begin lessons on that soon.

Connie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Clough of Bethel.

GIBSON ENLISTS IN NAVY

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Connie Clough, a graduating Junior at Telstar, is employed at Saga Foods. Her supervisors are Gene Buswell, chef, and John Rayne, Manager for Saga Foods. Basically, she says, she helps cook what ever is on the menu at Gould Academy, sometimes she cleans up and occasionally works with the dishwashing machine, and some other smaller jobs.

Although still undecided, Connie is considering attending college in her future to study business affairs. She related that her involvement in the Co-Op Program has given her an opportunity to combine a job experience with personal pleasure, as she says she likes to cook.

One of her other interests is hang gliding, she told us, and she plans to begin lessons on that soon.

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Songo Pond

— Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres. —

Rev. and Mrs. Gifford Towle of Amherst, Mass., were overnight guests Thursday in the home of Mrs. Ralph Kimball. Other recent visitors there were Mrs. Ava Bessey and Mrs. Marion Ladd of Hanover.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kallis returned to their summer home here Thursday from Marathon, Fla. They are spending Easter with their families in Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lapham and Timmie visited his sister in Norway Sunday. Mrs. Arsenault and Paul leave this week for a visit in Florida.

Walter Lapham, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Lapham of Seapoint called on relatives here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parsons entertained the Couples Club of South Paris, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. David Salway, Kassi and Brandon, Mrs. Ralph Kimball, with the Herb Adams family of Hanover spent Sunday afternoon with the Steve Beans in Otisfield to celebrate Sarah's second birthday. Birthday cake and home-made ice cream were enjoyed. Other guests were Frank Bean, Mrs. Lilla Sylvester, Dr. Beryl Moore, Mrs. Linda Jackson and Ricky.

10° here Monday morning for lowed by a strong northwest wind — January in April?

The surface of the pond is beginning to change and show signs of shedding its winter coat.

Plenty of people are willing to give God credit, yet few are willing to give Him cash.

Mrs. Yvonne Robinson was hostess at her home Wednesday evening for a surprise baby shower honoring Mrs. Candy Howard. Many lovely gifts attractively displayed were opened by the honor guest.

Sandwiches, cookies, and punch were served later along with a prettily decorated shower cake made by Mrs. Diane Leighton. Friends and neighbors attending were Mrs. Leighton, Mrs. Sheila Dayo, Mrs. Irene Anderson, Mrs. Judy James, Mrs. Esther Sweetser, Mrs. Phyllis Bancroft, Mrs. Buzzie Lapham, Mrs. Donna Lapham, Mrs. Alice Kimball, Mrs. LuLu Merrill, Misses Alma and Florence Merrill, Roberta and Rita Morin, Merle and Emily Robinson, Crystle Howard, Helen Smith, Beverly Corriveau, Ivy Robinson. Not able to come but sending gifts were Mrs. Edith Smith and Tina, Barbara Millett, Frances Heath and Virginia Hutchins.

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ed under the guidance of their instructor, Mrs. Audrey Taylor Pictured, left to right, are Nancy Gordon, Randy Wilson, Debbie Harthorne, and Eva Blake, standing is Mrs. Taylor, art instructor



FASHION PARADE — Students of Mrs. Barbara Ferguson's first grade class at the Locke Mills Elementary School, held an Easter Bonnet Fashion Parade showing their creations which they designed under the guidance of their instructor, Mrs. Audrey Taylor Pictured, left to right, are Nancy Gordon, Randy Wilson, Debbie Harthorne, and Eva Blake, standing is Mrs. Taylor, art instructor

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EVEN TESTS CAN BE FUN! Chris Chasson, Chris Gauthier, and Dale Poland are all smiles as they receive their award from Jackie Martin. The two Christines managed to get the highest team score on a Three Chapter Test and

TELSTAR R. H. S. NEWS

The Trapdoor

by Tom Wight
and Victor Hathaway

A delegation from the Telstar Chapter of the National Honor Society attended the N. H. S. State Convention in Richmond on Saturday, April 10. Those making the trip were: Eric Dombkowski, president of the local chapter; Candy Bennett, Irene Howe, Tom Wight, and Mrs. Gibbs, N. H. S. advisor.

We wish the student's leaving for Germany and Puerto Rico, over the vacation a safe and very enjoyable trip.

Monday, we entered the fourth and last quarter of the 1976-77 school year and grades will probably be delivered tomorrow (Friday). After this, only eight more weeks until summer vacation.

Last Friday upperclassmen signed up for the coming quarter's "mini-courses" as we do every nine weeks. This offer is another one of the unique features we have at Telstar, of which we are featuring in this week's column.

To start at the beginning, each student, in order to graduate, must earn four credits in English and two credits in History. A credit compensates a full year of study; a half credit compensates a half year's study, etc.

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Dale received the highest individual grade. Jackie baked the cake, Charlie made the pizzas, and we all played volleyball after school. What a crazy way to celebrate taking a TEST at Telstar Regional High School.

of the following English courses: Literature and Psychology; Grammar and Composition; Black Studies; Short Stories; Mark Twain; Wild West; Creative Writing; American Poetry (all of the above are nine-week courses). Shakespeare; Theatre Arts; Journalism (these three are half-year courses).

The majority of students enrolled in the history mini-courses are Juniors and Seniors who have priority due to spacing problems. All history courses are for nine weeks. These are Criminal Law; American Indian; 1920's and 1930's; Revolutionary War; Black Studies; Constitutional Law; World War I; World War II; Civil War.

Until a few years ago, Juniors signed up for a year long American History course, and Seniors signed up for a year of law courses. However this system didn't provide much maneuverability and often prevented the student from taking other courses he was interested in. The history teachers saw this and several other problems in this system, so they got together and broke the two years down into a group of nine week "mini courses". Therefore, this provided much more maneuverability and allows the history teachers to concentrate on the subjects of their field which interests them most, too.

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East Stoneham

— Gladys Kilgore, Corres. —

The Friendly Senior Citizens met at North Waterford Wednesday. 50 were present. After a nice pot luck dinner, acting president Violet Doughty, opened the meeting. Plans were made for a trip to Sunday River for dinner, May 5. Lawrence Tidwell, the mini-bus driver, showed slides of travels he had made through the states of Maine and New Hampshire. They were really beautiful. Every one enjoyed a most pleasant day.

Stanwood Nelson and crew worked in the cemetery Saturday.

Dwight Grover is having siding put on his house. Now he won't have to have it painted so often.

Delwin Merrill went to a doctor in Norway Friday for x-rays and check-up.

Mrs. Grace Nelson went to Portland Monday for a check up on her eyes.

Mrs. Hallie Harriman was a dinner guest at the home of her sister, Sarah and husband Wednesday.

Tammy Bryan of Lovell visited her aunt, Mrs. Grace Nelson Saturday and helped with the house work.

The Bible study met with Mr. and Mrs. Otis Cobb Monday night. Timothy Barker is having an artesian well dug on his lot on

CARD OF THANKS

A heartfelt thanks to the Bethel Ambulance crew, Gene Burns who was with me, Myra and David Foster and Leland Coolidge, also my son, Robert Curtis and Sheriff Williams and all others who assisted in getting me to Rumford Community Hospital on Monday, April 5, after my accident on the East Bethel Road.

For many who know that I have a pacemaker—my trouble was not caused by pacemaker failure. This may ease the minds of others who have one.

I want to thank Aux. VWVW #2943 and Senior Citizens, also all of my family and friends who remembered me with cards and letters and my good friend Kathy Sennett for the beautiful plant.

Leona M. Curtis



CACTUS BLOOMING — This pond lily cactus, bursting into bloom this spring, is the pride of Mrs. R. Glenn Murphy, Bridge Street. When the photo was taken the plant boasted 29 large buds.

Butters Hill. He plans to build there this summer. He is a teacher at Bryant Pond.

Daie Nelson who attends school in Portland, did some raking for Gladys Kilgore Sunday.

Maudy Thursday services were held at North Waterford Church. The Rev. Wentworth officiated.

Mrs. Gertrude Yemma's sister-in-law of Berwick visited she and her husband Sunday.

Dee Barker is busy making out income taxes.

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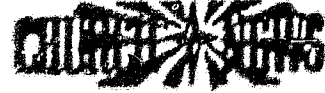
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ship Service.
Monday: 7:30 p. m. Theology
class at the Parsonage.
Wednesday:
10 a. m. Study Groups meet at
the home of Mrs. Burton Abbott.
March 10-April 7, 7:30 p. m.
Mid-Week Lenten Services.
Thursday, April 15: 7:30 p. m.
Maundy Thursday Service.

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Church School, 10 a. m.
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Sunday:
Sunday School, 9:00 a. m.
Morning Worship, 10:00 a. m.
Youth Group, 5:00 p. m.
Evening Service, 7:00 p. m.
Wednesday:
Bible Study and Prayer Service,
7:30 p. m.

West Bethel Union Church
B. H. Griffith, Pastor
James Brown, Choir Director
Mrs. Harriett Stowell, Organist

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a. m.
Morning Worship, 10 a. m.
Youth Fellowship, 6 p. m.
Evening Worship, 7 p. m.
Bible Study, Thursday, 7:30 p. m.
Choir Rehearsal, Friday, 6:30 p. m.

Locke Mills Union Church
Carlene Bradley
Church services, 9:00 a. m.
Sunday School, 10:45 a. m.
Prayer Meeting and Bible Study,
7:30 p. m.

Mrs. Richard Melville, organist
and choir director. Choir rehearsal
every Wednesday at 6:30 p. m.

Bryant Pond Baptist Church
Lanwood Hanson, Pastor
9:15 Sunday School.
10:30 Morning Worship Service.
6:00 Young Peoples' Meeting.
Junior Young Peoples, grades 4-
8; Word of Life Club, grades 7-12.
7:00 Evening Service.
Wednesday, Choir Practice,
8:15; Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p. m.

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UNITED PARISH
Peter Parent, Pastor
Closed until June Kathleen Ben-
nett, Clerk.

East Sutherland Congregational
Sunday:
9:00 a. m. Morning Worship.
9:00 a. m. Church School.
North Waterford Congregational
Sunday:
10:30 a. m. Morning Worship.
10:30 a. m. Church School.

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Newry Community Church
Sunday:
Morning Worship, 9 a. m. Rod-
ney Hanson, Pastor. Robert Du-
ran, Pianist.
Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.
Youth Group meets Sunday at
8:30 p. m.

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SUNSET REBEKAH LODGE #64 HOLDS INSPECTION MEETING

On April 12, Sunset Rebekah
Lodge #64 held its inspection
meeting, which was opened in
form with Sylvia Benson presid-
ing. Fourteen members and offi-
cers were present and answered
the roll call.

Honored were the Assembly
Warden of Maine, Marion Hood;
District Deputy President Annie
Eastman and her District Deputy
Marshal, Ruth Cushman. The pre-
sident's wishes were honored with
a Bicentennial theme and they
were presented Bicentennial gifts.
The tableau was of Betsy Ross
and the American flag, with a
poem read by Noble Grand Sylvia
Benson.

Guests were present from Good
Faith and Mt. Hope Rebekah
Lodges. A pot luck supper pre-
ceded the meeting with tables set
in Bicentennial colors.

Rumford Point
Congregational Church
Rev. Carl M. Kingsbury, Pastor
Mrs. Rupert Elliott, Organist
Miss Mary Lou Burns,
Sup't. of Church School

Sunday, April 18:
8:00 a. m. Easter Breakfast.
9:30 a. m. Morning Worship.
6:00 p. m. Pilgrim Fellowship.

Tuesday, April 20: 7 p. m. Ca-
dette Girl Scouts at Mrs. Morton's.

Wednesday, April 21: After
School—Brownies at the church;
6:30 p. m. Troop #509 of Boy
Scouts at the church.

Thursday, April 22: 7 p. m.
Choir rehearsal.

Woodstock Seventh-day
Adventist Church
Pastor: Dwayne Toppenberg
Saturday:
Sabbath School: 10:00 a. m.
Church Service: 11:30.
Prayer meeting: Tuesday even-
ing, 7:30.

West Paris Universalist Church
John Coyle, Minister
Mrs. Elaine Emery, Organist
Worship Service, 10 a. m.
Sunday School, 11 a. m.
LRY, 6 p. m.

Calvary Congregational Church
Andover, Maine
M. Lester Strout, Pastor
Miss Beverly White, Pianist
Mrs. Ralph Sunson, Choir Director

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Bible-
centered lessons; Classes for all
ages; Adult class.

Worship Service, 10:45 a. m.
First Congregational Church
United Church of Christ
Andover

James E. Bosworth, Pastor
Mrs. Linda Burnham, Organist
Mrs. Shirley Pilefield,
Music Director
Daniel Kraft,
Church School Superintendent
Donald Mixer,
Assistant Superintendent

Sunday: Morning Worship, 10 a.
m.
Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Wednesday: Ladies' Aid meets,
1:30 p. m.
Jr. Choir, Florence Kraft, Direc-
tor, 2:45 p. m.
Sanctuary Choir rehearses, 7:30
p. m.

Christian Science Services
In all Christian Science Churches,
the Lesson-Sermon read from the
desk is the same. The public is
cordially invited to attend.

Sunday, April 18 Subject: Doc-
trine of Atonement. Golden Text:
Mark 10:45—The Son of Man came
not to be ministered unto, but to
minister, and to give his life a
ransom for many.

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ing services at 11 a. m., and Sun-
day School at the same hour for
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Relief Society (Woman's Organi-
zation) 9 a. m.
Primary (3-12 year olds) 9:45
p. m.
M.T.A. (12-18 year olds) 7 p. m.
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Guardian; Marion Hood, Assembly
Warden of Maine; Ruth Cushman,
District Deputy Marshal, and Jan
Godwin, Vice Grand of the local
lodge.

Letters to the Editor

Bethel, Maine 04217
April 10, 1976

To Whom it May Concern:

The following letter and poem
is an Easter Memorial to my par-
ents, Leslie Ernest and Marie
Svan Davis, whose lives were
dedicated to their family, their
church, and their community. As
a child I accepted God because
they did, they lived what they be-
lieved. As an adult I have to be-
lieve in God and in immortality,
because He and they appeared to
help me at a time when others
could not.

This past week our youngest
daughter shared with me two sub-
jects which she and her friends
discussed at school:

1. That male chauvinism, like
alcoholism and cancer, is now
recognized as an illness.

2. The existence / non-exist-
ence of God.

This same week I received a
pamphlet called "Science and an
Experimental Faith" by Sir Alister
Hardy, Founder of "The Religious
Experience Research Unit", Man-
chester College, Oxford, England,
in response to personal material
which I submitted to him, includ-
ing revelatory dreams and an out-
of-body, face-to-face confrontation
with God during my suicidal de-
pression ten years ago.

Sir Alister Hardy makes refer-
ence to our "dogmatic materialism
which glorifies the scientific
method", and the clue to the de-
termination of man's inherent be-
ing as depending upon the chem-
istry of genetic material, specifi-
cally the DNA molecule. He
states: "Such dogmatic material-
ism could lead to a world even
more horrible than that created
by the medieval mind, a future
of which Aldous Huxley warned
us, 'or it could lead to our com-
plete destruction' (my italics), a
possibility that was not even on
the horizon when he wrote "Brave
New World".

He grants that "the DNA code
may well determine the physical
nature of the individual organ-
ism", but adds: "I do not believe
that this gives us a complete ac-
count of the evolution process
(there) is some factor in life that
appears to have a profound effect
I believe it may be a matter of
urgency to make a more syste-
matic study of these religious
feelings".

I agree.

This past week it was reascu-
ring to read a news item which
stated that the physicists are
"shaken up" by the recent dis-
covery of many elements which
they have never known to exist.

There are new wonders to be
found even on earth!

Any living tribute has a pur-
pose. Mine is to urge Nancy and
her friends to keep searching.
They are emerging from adoles-
cence toward maturity. Our na-
tions have not yet freed them-
selves from materialism. Chauvin-
ism is a disease of materialism.
We still fight for peace—proof of
a state of immature arrested de-
velopment. Even if you cannot
grasp the message in my poem—
think about this statement from
"The Living Stream" by Sir Al-
ister Hardy:

"In the higher ranges of evo-
lution including man, new pat-
terns of conscious behavior can

exert important selective forces
within populations of animals to
bring about better adaptational
changes."

EVOLUTION OF A SPECIES
I was a homing pigeon.
Splendidly equipped by heritage
and training, my natural in-
stincts always led me home.
No matter how far afield I ven-
tured.

I was a pigeon.
And loved the challenge of free
flight.

Knowing that home was where
my heart led me,
I grew up, believing
That all share a common goal:
The home, the nestings, free
flight.

The shared exhilaration of test-
ing new heights—each new
venture reaching a little be-
yond the last.
Always to return home.
The hawks flew too.

At first it was an exciting new
game;
fast and strong, I welcomed
their challenge
Flying beyond my own known
limits.

I did not know that some
hawks fly to kill.
Hurling from encounters which
I thought to be only the result
of my own clumsiness and
lack of skill.

Home now held nestlings, so
my free flights became lim-
ited.
Whenever I ventured too far, I
returned home to find my
nestlings restless and uneasy,
Disturbed by the tormenting
hawks.

Shamed by my selfishness
I dropped flying alone.
My homing instinct told me that
I must watch over these, my
young.

Until they, too, could fly with
skill and freedom.
I flew with them, and taught
them what I could—
Learning from them.

I taught them what I had not
learned in youth.
That in their flight, they
must be alert
And on guard against predators;
that in their flight, they must
reserve

Enough energy to fly out of
reach of killer hawks who
watch for plump innocents
to victimize.

They watched, they learned,
they ventured out.
Always to return home.
Now, strong and swift, they can
fly beyond the reach of hawks
or, can skillfully out maneuver
them.

You see, while I brooded over
my nestlings,
I had time to look far beyond
the horizon—beyond the
hawks and other land lock-
ed birds;

And I saw an eagle, barely visi-
ble in the sky,
So I encouraged them to fly
as eagles.

I was homing pigeon.
Slowly, painfully, sorrowfully,
but with growing awareness,
I find myself coming out of my
nestling molt

with new flight feathers.
My wings now spread wider
than the boundaries of my
nest.

Tomorrow, like my nestlings,
my flight will carry me to
new heights.

I will fly with eagles:
always to return home
to the mountain tops,
Wherever they may be.

Sincerely,
Phyllis Dock

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MAINE CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION ANNOUNCEMENTS

The city of Bangor has received
a \$1,172,000 Community Develop-
ment Block Grant from the De-
partment of Housing and Urban
Development, the Maine Congres-
sional Delegation announced.

The grant is a second-year en-
titlement under the program. The
funds will be used to continue the
Hancock-York Neighborhood De-
velopment Program, code enforce-
ment and other city improvement.

The delegation also announced
the approval of Small Business
Administration loans to aid four
new Maine firms. The Third Ox-
ford Hills Development Corpora-
tion has received a \$187,620 loan
from the Stanley H. Cornwall Tra-
dition Ltd. of South Paris. The
firm will manufacture contempo-
rary home furniture.

The Presque Isle Modular De-
velopment Corporation has received
a \$105,000 SBA loan for ACL
Enterprise, Maine Building Sys-
tems of Maine which will manu-
facture modular homes in Presque
Isle.

The SBA has also approved
three loans to the Greater Map-
leton Agriculture Development
Corporation totaling \$51,000 each.
The loan will be used to help the
following businesses: Double K
Warehouses Inc., Triple S Pack-
ers and M & M Warehouses.

Several Community Services
Administration grants were also
announced by the Maine delega-
tion. They include \$28,500 for the
York County Community Action
Council; \$15,000 for the Franklin
County Community Action Coun-
cil; \$40,000 for the People's Re-
gional Opportunity Program, which
operates in York and Cum-
berland Counties; \$23,666 to the
Coastal Economic Development
Corp. of Bath; \$27,500 for the
Aroostook County Community Ac-
tion Program.

The agency also approved
\$32,500 for the Washington-Han-
cock Community Agency; \$30,000
for the Penquis Community Ac-
tion Program, of Bangor; \$12,500
for the Oxford County Economic
Opportunity Council; \$13,750 for
the Mid-Coast Human Resource
Council; \$22,500 for the Northern
Kennebec Valley Community Ac-
tion Council; \$58,750 for the
Maine Division of Economic Op-
portunity and \$27,500 for the
Southern Kennebec Valley Com-
munity Action Program.

VOLUNTEERS ARE ANNOUNCED FOR CANCER DRIVE—1976

The American Cancer Society es-
timates that in 1976 there will be
3,700 new cases reported in
Maine. Nationwide this figure rises
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Change in bowel or bladder
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lowing.
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The American Cancer Society
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tion for all adults.
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The local chairman, Mrs. Dex-
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nounce the following volunteers for
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tor, Mrs. Andrew Boyd, treasurer,
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Mason; Mary Stecher, Upper Main;

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and Clark; Mrs. David Denison,
Vernon; Mrs. Larry Davis, Rail-
road; Mrs. Leonard Shaw, Mills
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Mrs. Paul Kallej, Park; Mrs.
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LeClair, Philbrook; Mrs. Nancy
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Bennett); Mrs. John Tebbets, May-
ville (Glines to Bridge); Mrs. Ho-
mer Smith, Northwest Bethel (Air-
port Rd.); Mrs. Donald Eddy, Mid-
dle Intervale; Mrs. Timothy Car-
ter, (Wards to Bucks); Mrs.
Charles Haines, E. Bethel (Rem-
ington to Line); Mrs. Robert Cur-
tis, Locke Mills Rd. (McAllisters
to Tylers); Mrs. Neil Olson, Locke
Mills Line (L. Coolidge to P. Cool-
idge); Mrs. Lawrence Arsenault,
(Greenleaf to Telstar); Mrs. Eu-
gene Roy, Bridge Street.

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(Gordon-V. Grover); Mrs. Rupert
Grover, Rt. 2, Flat Rd. to L. Da-
vis, and Ferry Rd.; Mrs. Gayland
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LIE'S PLACE. 1011

FOR SALE - 1968 Bronco. 1011
1973 Honda SL70, completely re-
built, new paint, excellent condi-
tion, \$275 firm. 824-2207. 15p

GERTY's a gay girl — ready for
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el. Phone 824-2158. 16

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CIATES, Real Estate Brokers,
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101f

Several more used snowblowers
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atories, land roller \$50, 8 x 18 ft.
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brakes \$795. IH baler Model 45
\$995, three point hitch mower
\$150, heavy duty 6 ft. rotary mow-
er \$895, several used farm trac-
tors including John Deere B, John
Deere 2010, IH 300, Farmall F12
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tractors and attachments. In-
range, gas heaters. TWITCHELL
FARM EQUIPMENT, Rt. 28, Ox-
ford, Maine. Tel. 207-630-4860. 15-16

Hen manure, 7 yards delivered
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FOR SALE - 1950 Farmall H.
Fair condition. \$500. LAWRENCE
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On the Job With Emily

Like many fellow legislators, as well as news personnel and followers of the action in Augusta, Rep. Saunders was hopeful of a speedy resolution to the appropriations battle and planned on adjournment early this week; to the point of packing up and moving back to Bethel, only to return to the State House on April 12 to anticipate yet another full week. In the unpredictable life of a State Representative it's handy to have relatives in the Augusta area, and Emily will be staying with Steve Saunders and family in Kent's Hill for the duration.

To update a number of bills which have been discussed in previous columns, we find the Legislature has passed an amended version of the bill which would allow local citizens to vote on specific items on school budgets. Two amendments have been added. One allows the local school directors to determine the format of a

school budget until a local referendum vote of more than 20% of the registered voters is held to change the format. Another amendment placed further limitations on the number of times that a meeting could be called to consider the school budget and a minimum requirement for voter attendance. The redistribution of the duties of the abolished Executive Council goes on, with some people finding it ironic that a "useless" governmental body could have been so busy with myriad tasks. Prior to final passage of the bill on the appointive powers of the Governor, there is expected to be some hot and heavy debate over the grand-fathering clause for present gubernatorial appointees and the Governor's sole power to appoint members to the Maine Human Services Council, the Committee on Aging, LEAA board and the Criminal Justice Academy board. Kathy Goodwin, Representative from Bethel, and active with the Committee on Aging expressed particular outrage at the Governor's recent actions with regard to re-appointments to the Committee. She felt that he had re-appointed the most ineffective members, while refusing to consider those members who had been of service to Maine's elderly.

The Legislature passed a bill which would allow the hiring of County Administrators, as a means to increase the effectiveness and efficiency of county government. The original bill would have set up state administrative standards, and had the administrator replace the present county clerk. The amended version, which was passed and sent to the Senate, allows each county to set its own standards, to retain the County Clerks, and hire an administrative assistant rather than a county administrator.

All members of the Legislature received a communication from the Maine State Museum, which might be described as a plea for mercy, in light of the budget-cutting process going on. The letter outlines the amazing growth of the Museum collection from 500 items in 1964 to 10,000 items today, donated by over 2,000 Maine people. It points out that after

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West Bethel

— Mrs. Lonie Gilbert, Corres. —

This week started out cold and windy. Sunday a 50° reading at 7 a. m. By noon about 28° and at 6 p. m. 20°. Monday morning 14° and a high wind. Some lower temperatures have been reported in other areas. A few snow flakes fell during the day Sunday and early Monday morning.

Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy joined Mrs. Sylvia Dunham on a Legion Auxiliary visitation in New Auburn Wednesday evening.

A flock of snow geese were seen Tuesday the 13th, near Wilbur Davis'. They were feeding and resting on their way north.

Mrs. Dorothy West returned to Rumford on Friday of last week to see her doctor. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Lovejoy and grandparents, the Cummings.

Attending the testimonial for State Commander Bob Rich of the American Legion Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Cummings. They were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Leland Dunham, Locke Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Stowell of Shirley, Mass., spent the week end with relatives in town, returning home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Grover of Mason and Mrs. Dewey Thayer of Port Clyde, left on Wednesday of last week, April 7, for California. They will visit Paul Grover and family and other relatives while away.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Roberts and baby and Patsy Kendall of Locke Mills, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wendall Roberts on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Roberts, Bruce and Brenda of Norway, visited the Roberts on Sunday.

Mrs. Richard Walker's brother, Donald and sister, Dorothy Wild of New York, who have been visiting the Walkers have returned home. Their sister, Hilda, John Taylor and Richard Walker Jr., took them as far as Rutland, Vt., where they were met by their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Earle Wild, with whom they make their home.

Mrs. Tyrene Lovejoy has returned to work at Clukey's Pharmacy in Bethel.

Miss Ellen Lovejoy visited the dentist last week. She was accompanied by her mother and grandparents to Norway. They also visited the Albert Downings in West Paris.

Ray West came for his wife, Dorothy and baby Rebecca, Monday night. Mrs. West has been with her parents, while unable to get around on her injured leg.

Sp4 Brian Stowell received his discharge from the service and ar-

Gilead

— Mrs. Clifford O. Cole, Cor. —

On Saturday, April 10, Mrs. Clifford Cole and Mary Tyler attended a Grange meeting in Wilson's Mills as members of Winthrop Grange in Shelburne, N. H. We were part of the degree team from Winthrop.

It was a long drive up and back but it was also interesting. On the way up we saw several wild water birds, as well as a snow goose, a duck and one we couldn't name. Coming home we saw our first deer of the year.

Sunday, April 11, proved to be very interesting. Out back of Clifford Cole's house were about 100 starlings, grackles and cowbirds. They would fly from the frog pond to the garden and back. They lit in the road to eat gravel and when they flew up we saw a strange bird with them. We determined that it was an albino starling, a rarity and freak of nature.

Gilead Women's Club will meet Tuesday, April 20 at 7:30 p. m. at the Gilead school house.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stowell arrived home on Thursday, April 8. He was stationed in Germany and received his discharge at Fort Dix. His brother, Sp2 Andrew Stowell was the officer on duty when he received his discharge.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Head were honor guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gilbert, Saturday evening, April 10, to a pre-anniversary party. They will observe their 10th wedding anniversary on April 16. They were presented a corsage and boutonniere, cards and money. An enjoyable evening was spent with 17 attend-

ing. Some that were invited were unable to attend. Refreshments were served including an anniversary cake.

Mrs. Ruth Grover observed her 83rd birthday on April 12. She was happy to receive phone calls, gifts, flowers and many cards. Guests included Dr. and Mrs. Lorrimer Schmidt of Augusta, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Paul and Mr. and Mrs. Craig Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Paul.

Dr. and Mrs. James Schmidt and children of Readfield were recent dinner guests of Mrs. Ruth Grover and Hazel Wheeler.

Michael Wheeler and friend of Portland visited his mother and grandmother on Sunday.

The West Bethel Youth Group met at the church on Sunday, April 11. They talked about things for us to do this summer and we made up a softball team. We hope everyone will attend the movie on April 25 and the youth group welcomes new members. — See Louise Haines.

East Bethel

— Mrs. David Foster, Corres. —

Clayton Bartlett and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bartlett of Kennebunk were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Urban Bartlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Moore and Mrs. Wendell Edmunds of South Paris were Tuesday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Harrington.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Palmer of Mexico were Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip DesRoches.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cox and daughters, Laura and Lisa, visited Mr. and Mrs. Randy Enman and Mrs. Louise Coolidge in Canton Sunday. Later in the evening they visited Mr. and Mrs. Roland Tyler in Dixfield.

Mrs. Leona Curtis arrived home Saturday from the Rumford Community Hospital where she has been since Monday.

Mrs. Agnes Haines and Mrs. Floribel Haines were in Norway Thursday.

Miss Linda Roseberry and John Hicks of Rumford were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John Hicks.

S/Sgt. and Mrs. Andre Bernier and children, Ryan and Danielle, of Plattsburgh, N. Y., arrived Friday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Chester Kimball. Saturday S/Sgt. and Mrs. Andre Bernier; Mr. and Mrs. Chester Kimball were over night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Pelletier in Hooksett, N. H. Saturday Ryan and Danielle Bernier stayed with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kimball while their parents were away.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Tyler and sons, David and Daryl; Angel Tariff; Chris Russell and Marie Wilson, of Dixfield, visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kimball Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Erlon Bean, Pamela and Penny Bean; Mrs. Earl Coolidge; Mrs. Peggy Coolidge; Mrs. Arlene Wesson and Peggy Wesson; Mrs. Eva Coolidge and Betty Ann, attended a baby shower for the Mrs. Judy Coolidge at the Bethel Savings Bank Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Howe and Stanley Howe of Bethel were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Howe of Locke Mills.

Jeff Smith was a week end guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Stearns in Rumford Corner.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Gross in Jefferson, N. H.

Mrs. James Hagar and children, Dawn, Doreen and James, of South Waterford, were Wednesday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. David Foster.

Mrs. Richard Stearns and Linda of Rumford Corner took Mrs. David Foster to South Paris to see the play, "Once Upon a Mattress."

Mr. and Mrs. David Foster visited Miss Joyce Noble in Norway and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hamlin in South Waterford Sunday.

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Congratulations on a job well

Magalloway & WILSON'S MILLS

— Mrs. Bertha West, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Linnell, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jordan have returned from Riverview, Fla., where they spent the winter.

LeRoy Olson was in Rangeley on business Thursday.

Mrs. Donald Glover was in Berlin Thursday for a dentist appointment.

Clifton O. Littlehale is working in the Dummer yard running a crane.

The teachers and some of the parents took the schoolchildren to Berlin to see the movie "1776" Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Glover attended the funeral of Mrs. Lois Hawkins in Milan, Saturday.

Aziscoos Grange No. 402 met at their hall Saturday evening. They had a degree team come in from Shelburne, N. H., to work the third and fourth degrees on five candidates. There were 42 members and guests present. All reported a nice time enjoyed by all.

done are extended to Kenneth Mason who has successfully completed a 42 hour course in Boiler Operations offered by Central Maine Vocational Technical Institute. Kenneth is the son of Earl and Daisy Coolidge.

Alder River Grange #145 held a regular meeting on April 9 with seven members present. Worthy Lecturer Floribel Haines brought up the subject of having a dinner for the Senior Citizens some time in October. The matter will be brought up later and a committee appointed. Worthy Steward Agnes Haines spoke about the Grange entertaining Pomona on the first Tuesday in May. The committee appointed was Mrs. Floribel Haines, Mrs. Agnes Haines and Mrs. Myra Foster.

Stanley Howe brought up the matter of the Town Manager wanting the hall for a meeting of town officials, the officials of the State Highway and interested citizens to discuss the roads in East Bethel. This will take place at some future time to be set by all concerned. Stanley Howe also brought up the matter of the fire escape. Committee appointed was Stanley Howe, George Haines and Peter Haines.

Program by Worthy Lecturer— Making words from the word Bicentennial in five minutes. Changes in Farming in the last two hundred years; Discussion of the science of monopolies; Bicentennial report by Stanley Howe.

North Paris

— Eveline Barrett, Corres. —

Our congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Abbott on the birth of twin daughters. One was born on April 3 and one on April 4. I didn't hear what their names were but I am sure they will be good ones.

The West Paris fire department went through North Paris Sunday on their way to Black Mountain, West Sumner.

Bob and Lois Cusson put paneling on the Lawrence's kitchen Saturday. Brion spent the day with the Barretts.

Many from our little hamlet attended the benefit supper for Bob and Sylvia Johnson Saturday, April 10. A goodly sum of money was realized, thanks to all.

Walter Bonney knocked down the Barretts' mail box post and came within an inch of entering their living room Sunday at 10 p. m. He must have wanted his share of the road as he travelled over our lawn and just barely missed going onto the bridge rail on the left hand side of the road.

We need a wider road for pickup trucks.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Hearon were at the base for supplies Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Tripp and three children, Lewiston, spent the week end at John O'Hearon's.

I was surprised that the Red Sox postponed Monday's game due to cold weather. Guess I'm not the only cold blooded chicken or maybe I should say "old hen." Oh! Well! They have all summer to get warmed up.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stevens, Betty, spent Sunday at her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Karvill, Dixfield. The parents are going to Las Vegas this week for a visit. Hope they make a dollar.

Mrs. Philip Hyams and daughter called on Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barrett Wednesday afternoon. Wedding bells are in the air. More details next week.

Benson's backhoe was at the Hyams Tuesday.

Haven't decided if the wind blowing a gale is better than the snow pelted down or not.

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Albany HUNT'S CORNER AND VICINITY

— Harlan Bumpus, Correspondent —

Sure is cold and windy this morning! Bet the robins wish they had stayed south awhile longer.

Sunday callers of Barb and Howard Inman were: Earl and Vivian McAllister and family, Gary Wight and Terry and Frank Howard.

Mrs. Vicky Inman is spending three weeks in Germany visiting her sister and husband.

Elna and Albert McAllister went to Norway one day last week and brought Sarah Andrews home from her daughter's, Earl and Vivian McAllister called on their parents on Sunday.

Edith and Harris Hathaway had supper on Thursday night with Arthur and Alice Wardwell. Sunday supper guests there were Edith and Clara Whitman of Bryant Pond, Verna Swan called on the Wardwells Sunday afternoon.

Saturday callers at the Hugh Stearns' were Kenny and Cora Bumpus, Mary and Earlon Keniston, and Sylvia and Stephen Hoy of South Portland.

Margaret Barton and Judy James spent Saturday shopping in Portland. Callers at the Bartons on Sunday were Margaret's cousins, Lester, Stuart and Andy Jacobs of Lubec, and Alice and Bernard Graffam.

Callers at the Dick Bennett's this week have been Polly McAllister, Carol Miller, Esther Rugg and Carla, Margaret Barton and boys, Robert and Debbie Warrington and daughters, Katie and Jane, Jim and Audrey Hazen and children, Cooper and Rebecca. Sunday evening callers were Kay and Roydon Billings of Bryant Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Maillet went to New Hampshire on Saturday to visit their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Obuchowski.

That's it for this week. Keep warm and keep smiling!



TOPSHAM INITIATING TEAM
— Tuesday evening, April 13 three new members were initiated into Mount Allen Post No. 61, Bethel, at the Post Home on Vernon Street. The Initiating Team, all from Post 623 of Topsham, is pictured above. Seated, left to right: Clifford Stuart and Louis Neron. Standing, left to right: Frank Dunlop, Alton Caro, George Moore and Jacques Gaudin. With the exception of Mr. Neron all are Past Commanders of their Post.

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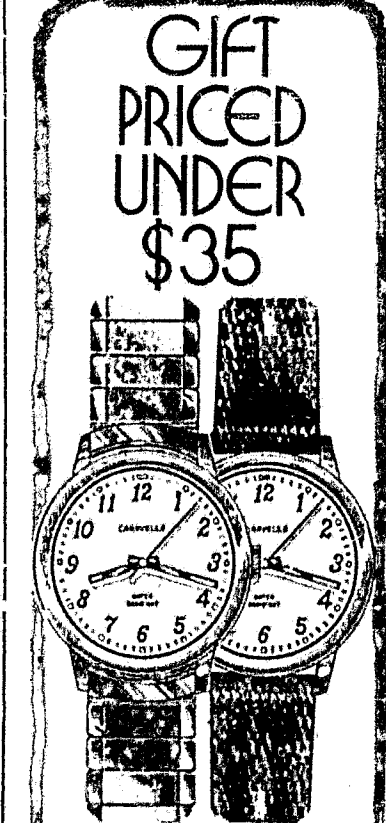
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CHRONOLOGY OF LOCAL RAILWAY HISTORY
by John R. Davis
Presented to the Bethel Historical Society Meeting, March 4, 1976
Part III
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One of the train wrecks on the District rank among the most spectacular in the history of the railroad. The collision of John Luther's No. 202 with the freight train of the Maine Central at Walker's Point in January, 1901, between doubleheaded freights which the lives of three crewmen were lost. In 1916 at Peabody, between West Bethel and Gilead, perhaps the most severe collision of the Maine Central ever occurred. A freight train met a westbound freight train with four crewmen perishing in the crash and the eastbound engineer succumbing several days later without gaining consciousness.

Having studied a large number of early station registers for many years, I find it surprising that the fatal collisions were not more frequent with the number of trains on the line increasing steadily since 1914 due to the war effort, often running very close to one another, the difficulty of reading or writing on green paper in a dimly lit engine cab at night.

In June 1917, fifteen trains moving through Bethel daily on the schedule and usually an- twenty unscheduled. Dis- motive power was augmented by transferring some from Michigan line and renting oth- from the Bangor and Aroos- and New York Central com- in the interim of receiving new 440 class locomotives from construction per order of U. S. War Department's Rail- Administration. Engineer Sloan received the 440 and ap- pily nicknamed in "Big Ber- always boasting to the oth- twenty-three crews on the 1918 and Pond callboard for moving First and Second District as, that his engine measured foot longer than the rest of class.

The status of Bethel as a way- terminal was shifted to early in 1922, and Halifax to share the postwar traf- as the status of the company aged, too. Most of its capital been spent from 1908 to 1914 its Pacific subsidiary already entered the gov- ment's stable of bankrupt rail- under the 1916 Order-in- dits directive to consolidate bankrupt and near-bankrupt into a national system. On January 1, 1923 following five of legal disputes and polit- negotiations involving three tries, the Grand Trunk Rail- was merged into the vast dian National System, with Michigan area and New Eng- lines to operate as a sub- sidiary.

The first visible signs the Beth- agency and right-of-way were Canadian government prop- erated on May 7th with the of Train 14 from Montreal by locomotive 5582 stencill- Canadian National" across the al tender and on the 13th

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A Probate Court held at Pa- and for the County of Ox- on the sixteenth day of in the year of our Lord thousand nine hundred and five, from day to day from sixteenth day of said March. following matters having been set for the action thereupon after indicated, it is hereby

notice thereof be given to persons interested, by causing of this order to be pub- two weeks successively in Bethel Citizen a newspaper at Bethel in said Coun- that they may appear at a Pro- Court to be held at Paris, on twentieth day of April A. D. at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon

By the Court.
Edith M. Burris, late of Bethel, dec'd. Will and Petition for re- thereof and the appoint- of Ralph L. Burris as Ad- strator with the Will annexed. said deceased, test bond, presented by Ralph Burris. Son and Heir-at-Law, Executor therein named hav- deceased.

Anna R. Ruzzo, a/k/a An- R. Ruzzo, Sr. late of Cove- Island, deceased. Peti- for the appointment of The- Ruzzo or some other suit- person as Administratrix of Estate of said deceased, with- land, presented by Theresa Ruzzo, Widow.

Mr. L. Young, late of Bethel, dec'd. First and Final Account- for allowance by Ar- L. Young, Jr. and Theodore Young, Administrators.

Widow, Richard E. Whiting of said Court at Paris, this day of March in the of our Lord one thousand hundred and seventy-six.

PAUL L. NEVENS, Register

when "Big Bertha" came west from the Portland shops as Num- ber 3700 similarly labeled.

Neither were allowed by cus- toms officials at Stanhope to en- ter Canada until the 17th of May when the title of the new sub- sidiary company—Grand Trunk—had replaced the Canadian National name, the reason being a U. S. as- signed engine remaining in Can- ada, or vice-versa, longer than for- ty-eight hours required the pay- ment of duties.

For six months following the great flood of 1927, this line mov- ed the bulk of all traffic in and out of disaster stricken Vermont via Groveton and Woodsville to White River Junction using Grand Trunk crews and locomotives while the railways of that state were rebuilt, and the deluxe Washington - Montreal passenger trains operated through Bethel for nearly two months.

As a Canadian line, the route through Bethel withstood the de- pression better than other New England roads. The grain traffic remained, not quite as heavy as in past years, but the Montreal to Old Orchard Beach excursion trains ran steadily each summer. For several weeks following the hurricane of 1938, central New England traffic, including the crack "Washingtonian" and "Mon- trealer" Expresses once more mov- ed by way of Bethel, and like the First World War, the Second came to the local line much earlier than to the rest of the country. Trains of heavy bauxite ore re- quiring two engines to move them were daily sights through Bethel from 1939 on into America's en- tering the hostilities and again locomotives were transferred from GT's Western lines in Michigan to keep the escalation of traffic moving.

The postwar boom this time was different for the railways. Truck- ing and airline firms through sub- sidies, entered active competition, and an early goal for every fam- ily was a new car. Worse, for the local line, Halifax continued to expand after its days as a major embarkation point, and by 1950 had all but replaced Portland as Canada's principal winter port. Within a few years, even the to- ken grain extras were lost to the newly constructed St. Lawrence Seaway.

In June 1956, the steam loco- motives of the local lines were re- placed by the multiple-control diesel-electric as a source of power, resulting in longer trains than ever passing through, but less fre- quently. Of the many magnificent steam locomotives assigned this line through the years only one remains, the Mogul 713, now dis- played inside the Museum of Science building in Ottawa following a long career as a main line freight and Lewiston Branch en- gine from 1900 to 1955, and as motive power for the Museum Train's Grand Tour of the Mar- times in 1956 on across Canada to the 1958 British Columbia Centen- nial at Vancouver.

On September 6, 1961, passen- ger train Number 17, the final vestige of old Number 1's sched- ule, arrived and departed Bethel, for the last time. Shortly Bethel again became a way freight ter- minal, for a Bethel to Portland run, but by 1968 carloadings in and out declined to such a point it was impractical to retain a full time agency, and on October 31st the depot was closed. In December the elegant old structure vanished for- ever.

Throughout the early 1970's large scale rebuilding of roadbed, tie replacement and ballasting was undertaken, at a cost of nearly two million dollars, for yet-to- come five hundred foot lengths of rail. And with an expenditure ap- proaching seven million dollars for fifteen new 2000 horsepower diesel electric locomotives in 1975 for direct Portland-Toronto ser- vice, it is highly indicative that as long as there are railroads left in this country for trains to run up- on, this line through Bethel will be one of them.

PROBATE APPOINTMENTS

The following subscribers here- by give notice that they have re- ceived the appointments as indicat- ed from the Probate Court of Ox- ford County. All persons having demands against the estates rep- resented by them are requested to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are re- quested to make payment immedi- ately.

Edward R. Swan, late of Beth- el, deceased; Barbara Whitman of Woodstock, Executrix without bond, March 16, 1976.

Esther J. Tyler, late of Bethel, deceased; John M. Harrington, of Bethel, Executor without bond, March 30, 1976.

George B. Morrill, III, late of Bethel, deceased; George B. Mor- rill, Jr., of Cumberland, Executor without bond, March 30, 1976.

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From Congress

The well-being of the economy depends largely on the health of thousands of small businesses in our state. Ninety-nine per cent of all Maine businesses are small busi- nesses, and the prosperity of these businesses and their ability to hire more Maine workers de- pends to a significant extent on the ability of small businessmen to find new customers for their goods and services.

Two important sources of busi- ness—as yet only partially tapped by Maine firms—are the Federal government and rapidly expand- ing export markets. To try to help Maine businessmen identify new ways to expand their firms' pro- ductivity and to bring new jobs and income to Maine, I have or- ganized a conference on Business Opportunities in Federal Procure- ment and Foreign Trade, to be held at Husson College in Bangor on Friday, Aug. 13.

This day-long conference will bring interested Maine business- men in touch with people who can bring Federal contracts to Maine. A number of procurement specialists from Federal civilian agencies, representatives of the armed forces, and several prime government contractors will be on hand for the conference. These

experts will be available for per- sonal consultation with individual businessmen concerning the op- portunities in their particular prod- uct or service. In addition, two seminars are planned to explain government procurement and con- tractual procedures and to point out ways to become involved in ex- panding opportunities in foreign trade.

The Department of Commerce, which—along with my Second Dis- trict Small Business Advisory Committee—is helping me organ- ize the conference, has conducted other such procurement confer- ences in other parts of the country. In many instances, the contacts made at the conference have led to new Federal contracts and work orders, bringing important new funds, and new jobs, to the areas involved. I certainly hope that this conference in Bangor can have a similar effect on the economy of the State of Maine.

In the near future, I will be writing to small businessmen and women throughout the State to provide a more detailed agenda and registration information on the procurement conference. I would be glad to hear not only from interested individuals, but from Chambers of Commerce and other civic organizations who would like to help call attention to the conference through their

publications and news letters. I urge all interested business own- ers to mark August 13 on their calendars and to make plans to attend this valuable meeting.

Step Forward for Quoddy

Back in 1974, when the House considered the Federal Non-nu- clear Energy Research and Devel- opment Act, I was successful in adding an amendment to the bill which required the Federal en- ergy agency to investigate the eco- nomic and technical feasibility of tidal power for generating elec- trical power.

Last week, this amendment bore fruit in an announcement by the Energy Research and Devel- opment Administration that it has commissioned a high-level study of the economic competitive- ness of tidal power. The ERDA grant authorizes a nine-month study by the Stone and Webster Engineering Corporation of Bos- ton which will concentrate on Passamaquoddy Bay in our state and Cook Inlet in Alaska, where tides reach exceptional heights.

The harnessing of the tides to generate electricity has not pre- viously been considered econom- ically feasible in the United States. As recently as 1958, the United States and Canada jointly investigated the potential of ti- dal power in Passamaquoddy Bay only to conclude that such a pro-

ject would be too expensive to be worthwhile.

Rising fuel costs and the de- cline of our supplies of fossil fuels have spurred new interest in tidal power, however. We in Maine are particularly conscious of the potential of this limitless resource for our State.

The new study will study the success of tidal projects in other countries, as well as considering the ways new technology can be applied to sites in the United States. This study, coupled with research undertaken by the Army Corps of Engineers, may breathe new life into the Quoddy Project and, in doing so, provide an ex- citing new energy source for Maine.

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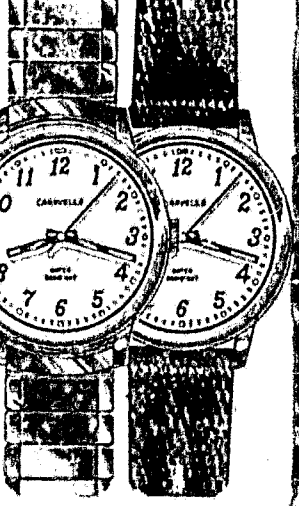
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NOTICE OF LAYOUT AND TAKING

The State of Maine by its Department of Transportation, Bureau of Highways, does hereby give notice to all whom it may concern: That the Department of Transportation, Bureau of Highways, in accordance with the authority of 23 M.R.S.A. Section 651, has determined that public exigency requires the altering, widening, changing the grade, changing the drainage, laying out and establishing of a portion of State Aid Highway No. 3 in the Town of Watford, County of Oxford.

That the Department of Transportation, Bureau of Highways, in accordance with 23 M.R.S.A. Sections 701 and 651, has laid out the location of a portion of State Aid Highway No. 3 in the said Town of Watford.

That the Department of Transportation, Bureau of Highways, in accordance with 23 M.R.S.A. Sections 651 and 151 to 159, has determined that public exigency requires the taking of all land, buildings and rights in land within or adjacent to the boundary lines as hereinafter set forth and described and as shown on a Right-of-Way Map, State Aid Highway No. 3, Town of Watford, Federal Aid Project No. 128-012(12), dated November 1970, on file in the office of the Department of Transportation, Bureau of Highways, (D.O.T. File No. 9-199), and to be recorded in the Registry of Deeds of Oxford County, a print of which is on file in the Office of the County Commissioners of Oxford County.

DESCRIPTION OF FEE TAKING

All land, buildings, and rights in land within the following described boundaries, which are located with respect to the following described Base Lines are taken in fee simple:

Base Line Description

State Aid Highway No. 3 (Route 118) Base Line

Beginning at a point in the present traveled way of State Aid Highway No. 3 and designated as Sta. 7+50.00;

Thence S. 69°41'00" E. one hundred fifty and no hundredths (150.00) feet to P.T. Sta. 9+00.00;

Thence S. 66°35'14" E. six hundred eighty-one and forty-four hundredths (681.44) feet to P.C. Sta. 15+81.44;

Thence southeasterly by a 2°00' curve to the left five hundred twenty-seven and thirty-two hundredths (527.32) feet to P.T. Sta. 21+08.70;

Thence S. 77°08'02" E. three hundred thirty-four and seventy-five hundredths (334.75) feet to P.C. Sta. 24+43.51;

Thence southeasterly by a 2°00' curve to the right two hundred ninety-two and thirty-one hundredths (292.31) feet to P.T. Sta. 27+35.82 "Back" equals Sta. 27+35.82 "Ahead";

Thence S. 62°31'07" E. six hundred fifty-two and seventy-nine hundredths (652.79) feet to P.T. Sta. 33+87.93;

Thence S. 63°42'59" E. four hundred ninety-six and forty-four hundredths (496.44) feet to P.C. Sta. 38+84.37;

Thence southeasterly by a 2°00' curve to the right eight hundred ninety-four and ninety-three hundredths (894.93) feet to P.T. Sta. 47+79.30;

Thence S. 45°49'04" E. seven hundred twenty and thirty-four hundredths (720.34) feet to P.C. Sta. 54+09.04;

Thence southeasterly by a 3°00' curve to the left four hundred sixty-three and seventy-five hundredths (463.75) feet to P.T. Sta. 59+49.01;

Thence S. 50°43'49" E. one hundred fifty-five and fourteen hundredths (155.14) feet to P.C. Sta. 61+18.54;

Thence southeasterly by a 2°00' curve to the right four hundred thirty-one and thirty-seven hundredths (431.37) feet to P.T. Sta. 65+49.01;

Thence S. 51°06'11" E. four hundred twenty-three and fifty-eight hundredths (423.58) feet to P.T. Sta. 69+73.49 "Back" equals Sta. 69+73.49 "Ahead";

Thence S. 51°36'11" E. five hundred twenty-three and twenty-two hundredths (523.22) feet to Sta. 75+00 at a point in the present traveled way of State Aid Highway No. 3.

Boundary Line Descriptions

Northeasterly Boundary Line

Beginning on the Base Line at Sta. 8+00;

Thence northeasterly along a line at right angles to the Base Line fifty (50) feet to a point;

Thence S. 66°41'00" E. one hundred and four hundredths (100.44) feet to a point fifty (50) feet northeasterly from and as measured along a line making an angle of 90°02'53" with the Base Line at P.T. Sta. 9+00.00;

Thence S. 66°35'14" E. six hundred eighty-one and forty-eight hundredths (681.48) feet to a point fifty (50) feet northeasterly from and as measured along a line at right angles to the Base Line at P.C. Sta. 15+81.44;

Thence southeasterly along a curved line fifty (50) feet northeasterly from and concentric with a 2°00' curve of the Base Line five hundred eighteen and twelve hundredths (518.12) feet to a point on a line at right angles to the Base Line at P.T. Sta. 21+08.70;

Thence S. 77°08'02" E. three hundred thirty-four and seventy-five hundredths (334.75) feet to a point fifty (50) feet northeasterly from and as measured along a line at right angles to the Base Line at P.C. Sta. 24+43.51;

Thence southeasterly along a curved line fifty (50) feet northeasterly from and concentric with a 2°00' curve of the Base Line three hundred five and six hundredths (305.06) feet to a point on a line at right angles to the Base Line at P.T. Sta. 27+35.82 "Back" equals Sta. 27+35.82 "Ahead";

Thence S. 62°31'07" E. six hundred fifty-two and twenty-seven hundredths (652.27) feet to a point fifty (50) feet northeasterly from and as measured along a line making an angle of 89°24'04" with the Base Line at P.T. Sta. 33+87.93;

Thence S. 63°42'59" E. four hundred ninety-five and ninety-two hundredths (495.92) feet to a point fifty (50) feet northeasterly from and as measured along a line at right angles to the Base Line at P.C. Sta. 38+84.37;

Thence southeasterly along a curved line fifty (50) feet northeasterly from and concentric with a 2°00' curve of the Base Line nine hundred ten and fifty-five hundredths (910.55) feet to a point on a line at right angles to the Base Line at P.T. Sta. 47+79.30;

Thence S. 45°49'04" E. seven hundred twenty and thirty-four hundredths (720.34) feet to a point fifty (50) feet northeasterly from and as measured along a line at right angles to the Base Line at P.C. Sta. 54+09.04;

Thence southeasterly along a curved line fifty (50) feet northeasterly from and concentric with a 3°00' curve of the Base Line four hundred fifty-one and sixty-two hundredths (451.62) feet to a point on a line at right angles to the Base Line at P.T. Sta. 59+49.01;

Thence S. 50°43'49" E. one hundred fifty-five and fourteen hundredths (155.14) feet to a point fifty (50) feet northeasterly from and as measured along a line at right angles to the Base Line at P.C. Sta. 61+18.54;

Thence southeasterly along a curved line fifty (50) feet northeasterly from and concentric with a 2°00' curve of the Base Line four hundred twenty-eight and ninety hundredths (428.90) feet to a point on a line at right angles to the Base Line at P.T. Sta. 65+49.01;

Thence S. 51°06'11" E. four hundred twenty-three and thirty-six hundredths (423.36) feet to a point fifty (50) feet northeasterly from and as measured along a line making an angle of 89°45'00" with the Base Line at P.T. Sta. 69+73.49 "Back" equals Sta. 69+73.49 "Ahead";

Thence S. 51°36'11" E. about four hundred sixty-six (466) feet to a point in the southerly line of land now or formerly of John W. York, said point being fifty (50) feet northeasterly from and as measured along a line at right angles to the Base Line at about Sta. 74+43;

Thence westerly along the southerly line of land now or formerly of John W. York, about twenty-eight (28) feet to a point in the present northeasterly line of State Aid Highway No. 3, said point being about twenty-six (26) feet northeasterly from and as measured along a line at right angles to the Base Line at about Sta. 74+29;

Thence southeasterly along said right angle line about twenty-six (26) feet to the Base Line;

Thence S. 51°36'11" E. along the Base Line about twenty-two (22) feet to Sta. 74+50, at the southeasterly end of the southeasterly boundary line to be hereinafter described.

Southeasterly Boundary Line

Beginning on the Base Line at Sta. 3+00;

Thence southeasterly along a line at right angles to the Base Line fifty (50) feet to a point;

Thence S. 60°41'00" E. ninety-nine and ninety-six hundredths (99.96) feet to a point fifty (50) feet southeasterly from and as measured along a line making an angle of 89°57'07" with the Base Line at P.T. Sta. 9+00.00;

Thence S. 66°35'14" E. six hundred eighty-one and forty hundredths (681.40) feet to a point fifty (50) feet southeasterly from and as measured along a line at right angles to the Base Line at P.T. Sta. 15+81.44;

Thence southeasterly along a curved line fifty (50) feet southeasterly from and concentric with a 2°00' curve of the Base Line three hundred thirty-nine and fifty-six hundredths (339.56) feet to a point on a line normal to the Base Line at Sta. 19+25;

Thence northeasterly along said normal line twenty (20) feet to a point thirty (30) feet southeasterly of the Base Line;

Thence southeasterly along a curved line thirty (30) feet southeasterly from and concentric with the beforementioned 2°00' curve of the Base Line one hundred eighty-five and sixty-eight hundredths (185.68) feet to a point on a line at right angles to the Base Line at P.T. Sta. 21+08.70;

Thence southeasterly along said right angle line ten (10) feet to a point forty (40) feet southeasterly of the Base Line;

Thence S. 45°49'04" E. about two hundred two (202) feet to a point in the northeasterly line of land now or formerly of Barbara B. Sayward said point being forty (40) feet southeasterly from and as measured along a line at right angles to the Base Line at about Sta. 23+11;

Thence southeasterly along the northeasterly line of land now or formerly of Barbara B. Sayward about ten (10) feet to a point fifty

(50) feet southeasterly from and as measured along a line at right angles to the Base Line at about Sta. 23+10;

Thence S. 77°08'02" E. about one hundred thirty-four (134) feet to a point on a line at right angles to the Base Line at P.C. Sta. 24+43.51;

Thence southeasterly along a curved line fifty (50) feet southeasterly from and concentric with a 2°00' curve of the Base Line four hundred seventy-nine and fifty-six hundredths (479.56) feet to a point on a line at right angles to the Base Line at P.T. Sta. 27+35.82 "Back" equals Sta. 27+35.82 "Ahead";

Thence S. 62°31'07" E. six hundred fifty-three and thirty-one hundredths (653.31) feet to a point fifty (50) feet southeasterly from and as measured along a line making an angle of 90°35'56" with the Base Line at P.T. Sta. 33+87.93;

Thence S. 63°42'59" E. four hundred ninety-six and ninety-six hundredths (496.96) feet to a point fifty (50) feet southeasterly from and as measured along a line at right angles to the Base Line at P.C. Sta. 38+84.37;

Thence southeasterly along a curved line fifty (50) feet southeasterly from and concentric with a 2°00' curve of the Base Line eight hundred seventy-five and ninety hundredths (875.90) feet to a point on a line at right angles to the Base Line at P.T. Sta. 47+79.30;

Thence S. 45°49'04" E. seven hundred twenty and thirty-four hundredths (720.34) feet to a point on a line at right angles to the Base Line at P.C. Sta. 54+09.04;

Thence southeasterly along a curved line fifty (50) feet southeasterly from and concentric with a 3°00' curve of the Base Line four hundred twenty-eight and ninety hundredths (428.90) feet to a point on a line at right angles to the Base Line at P.T. Sta. 59+49.01;

Thence S. 50°43'49" E. one hundred fifty-five and fourteen hundredths (155.14) feet to a point fifty (50) feet southeasterly from and as measured along a line at right angles to the Base Line at P.C. Sta. 61+18.54;

Thence southeasterly along a curved line fifty (50) feet southeasterly from and concentric with a 2°00' curve of the Base Line four hundred twenty-three and eighty-four hundredths (423.84) feet to a point on a line at right angles to the Base Line at P.T. Sta. 65+49.01;

Thence S. 51°06'11" E. four hundred twenty-three and eighty hundredths (423.80) feet to a point fifty (50) feet southeasterly from and as measured along a line making an angle of 90°15'00" with the Base Line at P.T. Sta. 69+73.49 "Back" equals Sta. 69+73.49 "Ahead";

Thence S. 51°36'11" E. four hundred seventy-three and forty-four hundredths (473.44) feet to a point fifty (50) feet southeasterly from and as measured along a line at right angles to the Base Line at Sta. 74+50;

Thence northeasterly along said right angle line fifty (50) feet to the Base Line at the southeasterly end of the northeasterly boundary line herebefore described.

DESCRIPTIONS OF EASEMENT TAKING

The following described rights in land are taken at the locations, in the manner, to the extent specified and as shown on the right-of-way map herebefore mentioned:

The following Slope Easements and/or Slope Easements with Berm Ditches taken at the locations and within the limits hereinafter described may be vacated provided that the owner in fee of the land underlying said easements makes application to the Department of Transportation, Bureau of Highways, setting forth therein the proposed alterations within said limits that proposes relief of the necessity for said easements for highway purposes. If in the opinion of the Department the proposed alteration or such amendment thereto, mutually agreed upon, in fact does negate the necessity for highway purposes, the said Department shall vacate said easement on completion of the alteration or amendment thereto.

Slopes

The right to enter, clear, grub and/or construct, and maintain slopes of the highway, as long as they are necessary for highway purposes, on land outside of and adjoining the boundary lines herebefore described and within the limits defined by the "Construction Limit Lines" as shown on the beforementioned right-of-way map, at the following locations:

Item Apparent Owner Location and Station

1 Carol Fuller Left of Base Line at Sta. 9+50 to Sta. 11+50

2-1 S. D. Nutting Right of Base Line at Sta. 9+00 to Sta. 11+00

(Trust) Right of Base Line at Sta. 11+00 to Sta. 18+00

Albert D. Nutting Right of Base Line at Sta. 17+00 to Sta. 18+70

2-2 S. D. Nutting Trust Left of Base Line at Sta. 13+50 to Sta. 14+50

Albert D. Nutting (Trust) Right of Base Line at Sta. 39+50 to Sta. 44+46

2-3 S. D. Nutting Trust Right of Base Line at Sta. 44+38 to Sta. 46+50

Albert D. Nutting (Trust) Right of Base Line at Sta. 47+00 to Sta. 49+00

7-1 Raynor K. Brown Right of Base Line at Sta. 50+50 to Sta. 53+00

Carol Fuller Right of Base Line at Sta. 51+50 to Sta. 53+00

7-4 Raynor K. Brown Left of Base Line at Sta. 60+64 to Sta. 60+81

Ralph W. Cleveland Sr. Left of Base Line at Sta. 61+30 to Sta. 63+50

Irene B. Cleveland Right of Base Line at Sta. 57+17 to Sta. 58+00

Dennis C. McAllister Left of Base Line at Sta. 58+50 to Sta. 65+00

Brenda C. McAllister Left of Base Line at Sta. 57+65 to Sta. 58+50

Left of Base Line at Sta. 59+50 to Sta. 60+68

Drainage Right: Right of Base Line at Sta. 60+81 to Sta. 63+50

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Locke Mills

Mrs. John Mills, Corres.

The Locke Mills Union Church invites you to attend the Maundy Thursday service this evening, April 15, at 7:30, in remembrance of the final week in Jesus' life. Participants in this service are Dora Ford, Bertha Flanders, Barbara Dunham, Leroy Jordan, Arnold Jordan, Merle Lurvey, Marion Swan, and Margaret Ring. Miss Ellen Lovejoy will accompany the choir for the special music.

Some of the residents of lower Greenwood have started a Sportsmen's Club. Anyone interested in joining are asked to meet at the home of Fred Curtis on Hayes Hill on the first and third Mondays at 7:30 p. m.

It has been quite a month for babies. The following are receiving congratulations on the birth of daughters: On April 8 to Mr. and Mrs. David Jordan, Stratford, Conn., a seven pound, eight oz. girl who has been named Julie. She has a sister, Jennifer, and her paternal grandmother is Mrs. Myra Jordan; and on April 6 to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bray (Cindy Osgood), their first child, a girl named Teresa Marie, and she weighed five pounds, eight ounces.

Mrs. Louise Croteau has received word of the birth of her first great grandchild, a son, born in March to Sgt. and Mrs. Michael E. Corbett, who are stationed in Japan. Mrs. Corbett is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Solon Croteau of Greeley, Colo. The baby has been named James Richard.

The Community Club meeting was held Tuesday evening at the town hall with President Charlotte Cole presiding. There were 15 members and one visitor present. A silent auction and tasting party were enjoyed. The next meeting will be held on May 11.

Mrs. Lillian Lapham and Mrs. Vera Cross accompanied Mrs. Verena Swan to Norway Friday evening where they attended the performance of "Once Upon a Mattress" at Oxford Hills High School.

The Ladies Circle will meet Wednesday, April 21, at 1:30 p. m. at the Sunday School room. The word for the month is Glory.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mills and Ralph were in Portland Monday where Ralph had an appointment with a dental surgeon. They also enjoyed shopping at the Maine Mall and a side trip to Saco after missing an exit on the turnpike. On the way down they visited Miss Mary Mills at Bolster's Mills and wished her a happy birthday.

Mrs. Beanie Carll and Jeff and Bob, Waterboro, are expected for the week end at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Stanley Wilton.

Charles Melville has been spending some time in Beaver Dam, N. Y., called there by the critical illness of his sister, Emma Beeraft. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Day have returned home after spending the winter in Haines City, Fla.

The fund for the new Union church parsonage has now reached approximately \$200. Many gave donations at the Fellowship Supper and various projects will be going on throughout the year for this. Donations are always welcome towards this worthy goal of have a parsonage and permanent pastor at the Union Church.

Norwood Ford received a 40-year pin from the Masonic Lodge Tuesday evening.

Nancy Melville has a metal rectangular baking tin and a white plate with blue design left from the German Club supper. Anyone



Miss Anne M. Thibeault

THIBEAULT - CARTER ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Philip W. Thibeault of 8 Taylor Street, Biddeford, announce the engagement of their daughter, Anne Marie Thibeault, to David J. Carter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carter of Bethel.

Miss Thibeault is a graduate of Biddeford High School and will graduate from St. Mary's School of Nursing, Lewiston, in June. Mr. Carter is a graduate of Gould Academy and of UMO and is now employed by the Canadian National Railroad.

The wedding is set for June 19, at St. Joseph's Church in Biddeford.

knowing who owns these please get in touch with her.

Mrs. John Mills and Mrs. "Joe" Shimamura were in Norway Wednesday afternoon shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Packard, Mrs. Dwight Martin and Anna Packard left Monday for Munich, West Germany, and Salzburg, Austria, where they will vacation for the next ten days. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tyler took them to Logan International Airport, Boston, Mass.

Rev. Don Smith and his brother, John Smith, Livermore Falls, were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Martin spent the past week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Silsby, Arundel, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Painchaud, Kittery. Scott Blanchard and Kelly Morse were also weekend guests of the Painchauds.

Mrs. Cathy Parker, Mrs. Sharon Tyler and Mrs. Jeanine Buck, entertained at a stork shower honoring Mrs. Carole Silsby of Arundel Saturday afternoon, March 27, at the Buck home. Decorations were in pink and blue and the shower cake, made by Mrs. Bonnie Day, New Gloucester, centered the refreshment table. After Carole opened her many gifts a social afternoon was enjoyed and refreshments served to the following guests: Mrs. Linda Koronhen and Shannon; Mrs. Jeannette Coolidge and Jan, South Paris; Mrs. Cindy Wakefield, Bethel; Mrs. Mariel Martin, Bryant Pond; Mrs. Bonnie Day and Kristy, New Gloucester; Mrs. Connie Blanchard, Kittery; Mrs. Nancy Cross, Mrs. Anita Packard, Mrs. "V" Church, Bethel; Mrs. Mary Jane Painchaud, Kittery; Mrs. Rodney Cross Jr.; Mrs. Neva Coolidge, Bethel; Mrs. Janice Mills; Mrs. Tess Martin and the hostesses. Many sent gifts that were unable to attend.

Any items on lots at the cemetery not removed by May 3 will be discarded during spring clean-up.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the Pine Grove Cemetery Association will be held Tuesday, April 20, at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Arthur Gilbert, West Bethel. Anyone interested in the maintenance of the cemetery is urged to attend, whether or not they are presently a member of the association.

Any items on lots at the cemetery not removed by May 3 will be discarded during spring clean-up.

Frances Clark, Secretary

WEST BETHEL CHURCH NEWS

Mable Walker, Reporter

The West Bethel Union Church held their annual church meeting at the church, Thursday evening, Olive Head acting as moderator.

Pastor Bert Griffith will be the minister for another year. Organist, Harriet Stowell; Choir Director, James Brown.

The following appointments were made: Clerk, Harriet Stowell; Treasurer, Sarah Head; Auditor, Colleen Boyd.

Deacons: Paul Head, Ralph Burris, Arthur Gilbert, Cleveland Lovejoy.

Deaconesses: Freida Bennett, Ruth Gilbert, Marilyn Gilbert, Cathryn Lovejoy.

Church Committee: Richard Walker, George Stowell, Arthur Head, Carla Bennett.

Repair Committee: Cleveland Lovejoy, Richard Walker, Arthur Gilbert, Alanson Lovejoy.

Inside Clean-up Committee: Mable Walker.

Outside Clean-up Committee: Donald York.

Church Reporter: Mable Walker.

Budget Committee: Sarah Head, Freida Bennett, Cathryn Lovejoy.

It was voted not to have a Ways and Means Committee.

Bible Study will be Thursday evenings, 7:30, at the church.

On April 18, Vince Cassale, missionary to Italy, will be guest speaker at the evening service.

On April 25, at the evening service, the picture "Time to Run" will be shown.

STECHER - McLAUGHLIN ENGAGEMENT



Michael J. McLaughlin III

Miss Terry Kim Stecher

Mr. and Mrs. Donald H. Stecher are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Terry Kim, to Michael J. McLaughlin III. He is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Michael J. McLaughlin II from Narragansett, R. I. A June 5 wedding is planned. The couple will reside in Pawtucket, R. I.

West Greenwood

Carolyn M. Colby, Corres.

Vicki Wilson, Locke Mills, and Mindy Wilson stayed over Saturday night and Sunday with Alden and Irene Wilson.

Lee Kenison, Buxton, visited us Tuesday and brought us a beautiful corner cabinet with windows in the doors which he had built. "Cultivate good habits—the bad ones grow wild."

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Frances Clark, Secretary



COUNTY DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE MET LAST THURSDAY IN RUMFORD

The Oxford County Democratic Committee met on Thursday, April 8 in Rumford at a supper meeting and heard a speech by Rep. Leighton Cooney of Sabattus who is seeking the Democratic nomination for the Congressional seat in District 2. Cooney remarked about the activities of the Legislature in the final days of the Special Session, and in particular described the accomplishments of the Committee on State Government of which he is chairman. He said that if elected to Congress he hopes to work for the specific benefit of the State of Maine, to recover many of the funds and programs which in the recent past have been lost to other areas of the country. In this light he scored the proposed closing of the Limestone base and the problems of the Bath shipyard in securing contracts.

County Chairman Paul McGuire conducted the business meeting which began with an introduction of all present, with candidates for elective office making brief statements. The following candidates were present: David McKenney, Senate Seat 5; Albert Beliveau, Judge of Probate; Ted Whittier, District 65; Don O'Leary, Senate Seat 6; Craig Bryant, Sheriff; Ken Brown, District 67; Albert Theriault, District 68; Al Howe, Sheriff, and Dorothy Duntun, Senate Seat 6. Candidates Jim Wilfong, Emily Saunders, and Don Twitchell were detained in Augusta and were unable to be present.

Platform Committee members Cathy Newell, Richard McCollister, and Cynthia Murray-Beliveau reported on the final meeting of their committee. Special thanks were extended to Joyce Roy, a

NORTH WATERFORD CHURCH TO DISCUSS FUTURE

Dorothy MacDonald, church secretary, has announced that there will be a public meeting at the North Waterford Church on Monday, April 19, at 7 p. m. to discuss the future of the church. Bruce Roberts, president of the UOC Council, Portland, will be present to answer any questions concerning the operation of the church.

member of the Platform Committee, who arranged the Platform hearing held in Mexico.

Olive Moore reported on the April State Committee meeting, stressing plans and arrangements for the Convention, to be held May 7, 8, and 9 in Augusta. Paul McGuire was unanimously elected chairman of the Oxford County delegation.

The next meeting will be held on May 13 in Mexico. At this time County Democratic Committee officers will be elected for 1976-1978.

Next year 19 University of Maine at Orono students will study in Canada in the university's Canada year program, sponsored by the Canadian-American Center. Students will be studying at institutions from Newfoundland to British Columbia in both their major fields and in Canadian studies.

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MAIN STREET, LOCKE MILLS, from an old photo recently found in an attic and left with Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Hathaway. Date of the picture is estimated from 1890 to 1900.

MISS ADA I. DUNHAM

Miss Ada I. Dunham, a former resident of Bryant Pond, died Tuesday morning, April 13, 1976, at Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway, where she had been a patient since Thursday. She had previously been cared for at West Paris at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Noyes, and at the Chapel Valley Home.

She was born in a lighthouse at Egg Rock, Nahant, Mass., May 28, 1885, the daughter of Charles and Mary Mills Dunham. She attended schools of Mason and Bethel and resided at Bryant Pond for several years.

Her nearest survivors are nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a. m., Friday, at the I. W. Andrews and Son funeral home, South Woodstock, with burial later in the spring at Mason Cemetery, Mason.

BORN

In Norway, April 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Burton Mills (Deborah Kimball) of Bethel, a daughter, Angle Louise.

DIED

In Norway, April 13, Miss Ada I. Dunham, formerly of Bryant Pond, aged 90 years.

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S. A. D. 44 BOARD WORK ON BUDGET AT MONDAY NIGHT MEETING

A regular meeting of the S. A. D. #44 board of directors held in the Library at Tel. Regional High School on Monday evening of this week.

Paul Bodwell, chairman Buildings and Grounds Committee, reported on bids that have been received for proposed work at Andover Elementary School, Woodstock Elementary, and Bisbee Schools. No action of the bids was taken.

A motion to hire a substitute for Ray Miclon, elementary school education instructor, currently on sick leave, lost as no affirmative votes were recorded, with votes negative.

Arthur Farrington, custodian of the Woodstock Elementary School, notified the board that he intended to retire as of July 30. The board noted with thanks Farrington's past service.

The board adopted the S. A. D. #44 budget for the year 1976-1977, and approved the use of three buses to transport the students to Lewiston on May 24. Bus drivers are donating time for this activity.

The request of Timothy J. Ker, Woodstock Elementary School, for a leave of absence from May 29 to May 31 for training in the National Guard was approved.

The board accepted the resignation of Annie Rosenberg of Woodstock as a member of the P. M. S. Rosenberg was elected to the board in March of 1975. Woodstock selectmen will be notified of the necessity of the pointment of a person to serve until the 1977 annual town meeting at which time a person shall be elected for a term to expire March of 1978.

The board approved a new Monday, May 24, for the annual District Budget Meeting. It felt that it would be impossible to meet the initially approved date of May 10, as the board had no work ahead of them to reach point where they could recommend a budget to the voters of the District.

The board tentatively approved a sum of \$10,000 for the Student Activities portion of the budget. This was a reduction of the revised request of \$12,428.84. A motion to reduce the amount to \$10,000 was defeated. "Student Activities" contains funds for supplies for the athletic program.

The directors tentatively approved \$195,000 for transportation. The original amount requested was \$209,154.

Also tentatively approved was an amount of \$211,762 for operation of plant.

The board approved \$38,725 outgoing transfers (tuition, Northern Oxford Vocational Area).

The amount tentatively approved for administration (salaries, superintendent, office staff, board legal services, etc.) was reduced to \$60,000.

A special meeting of the board has been scheduled for the month of May.

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